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APPLICANT : CULLINAN ET AL.

EXAMINER : F. PRINCE

SERIAL NO. : 09/041,685

GROUP ART UNIT : 1724

DATE FILED : 13 MARCH 1998

INVENTION : "VERTICAL VORTEX OR LAMINAR FLOW INTERACTIVE BIOMEDIA
WATER TREATMENT"

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby respectfully requests that the time for response for the office action be extended three months, to 6 March 2000. A petition fee check for \$435.00 is enclosed.

AMENDMENT "A"

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed 10 October 1999, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please cancel the original specification, and substitute therefore the attached 8 pages of substitute specification. Applicants submit that the original specification and drawings as filed provide ample basis for that which is disclosed in the substitute specification.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

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